

# California Department of Forestry & Fire Protection



## EMERGENCY CREW TRANSPORT (ECT)

### USE

CAL FIRE's Emergency Crew Transport, or ECT, is designed to transport a 17-person fire crew from a conservation camp to an emergency incident or community project. The ECT is equipped with emergency warning lights and sirens to allow firefighters to move quickly and safely through congested areas, shortening response times and possibly saving additional lives and property. The new generation ECT, like CAL FIRE's older Crew Carrying Vehicle (CCV), is designed with ample storage space for all the equipment needed by the crews. In addition to fire tools, sleeping bags, and personal protective equipment, the ECT carries rations, water and firefighter's personal affects. The vehicles carry everything the crew needs to be self sufficient for at least 48 hours. Wherever an ECT is parked, a crew is nearby either providing emergency activities or participating in conservation related work. CAL FIRE has begun replacing its entire fleet of CCVs with ECTs as CCVs are retired through the natural attrition process.

### CREW

Seating 17 personnel

### MANUFACTURERS

**Chassis:** Navistar /Freightliner  
**Body:** Braun Northwest/Valley Tool

### SPECIFICATIONS

**Gross Vehicle Weight:** 33,000 lbs.  
**Engine:** Diesel Powered  
**Front Axle:** 12,000 lbs.  
**Rear Axle:** 21,000 lbs.  
**Transmission:** Allison 3000EVS  
6-Speed Automatic  
**Wheel Base:** 188 inches

